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AMENDMENT

Sir:

This is in response to the Official Action dated July 3, 2001 and having a shortened statutory period for reply set to expire on October 3, 2001. Applicant submits the following responsive amendment in the above-identified application. Applicant believes this amendment places the application in better condition for allowance. Applicant's remarks are attached hereto and start on page 2.

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please <u>replace</u> Claims 18, 19 and 20 with the attached clean version of replacement claims.

Please see a <u>marked-up</u> version of the amended claims attached hereto to aid the Examiner in identification of changes.

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